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Offender Dies as a Result of an Attack



Ezekiel Jones

PENDLETON, IN – Pendleton Correctional Facility Warden, Dushan Zatecky reports that an offender died at St. Vincent’s Hospital on Wednesday afternoon of an apparent stab wound sustained when he was attacked by another offender.

On July 11, at approximately 9:57 a.m. staff working in the facility’s H-Cellhouse were investigating the origins of a loud noise when they observed offender Ezekiel Jones laying on his back with an injury to his neck. Unit staff radioed for assistance and Jones was immediately transported to the facility’s Health Care Center for emergency treatment. Paramedics were summoned to the facility and Jones was transported to St. Vincent’s Hospital in Anderson before being transferred to St. Vincent’s in Indianapolis. Attempts to save the victim were unsuccessful and Jones was pronounced deceased at 2:08 p.m. by Dr. Isch. An autopsy will be performed at St. Vincent’s Hospital.

Sentenced out of Allen County, offender Jones was serving two counts of robbery and one count of murder with a projected release date of July 23, 2042.

“The suspect in the attack and potential witnesses to the incident are being questioned by the facility’s Investigations and Intelligence staff along with investigators from the Indiana State Police. The facility has been placed on lockdown status with visitation suspended until further notice,” stated Warden Zatecky.

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